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Inspection Report

Minerals Regulatory Program

Report Date: September 29, 2006

Supervisor RRH

Mine Name: Nichols Pit
Operator Name: Western Rock Products
Bob Roth
820 North 1080 East
St George, Utah 84770

Permit number: M/021/039
Date: September 15, 2006
Time: 7:30 AM

Inspector(s): Doug Jensen
Other Participants: None
Mine Status: Active

Weather: Cool, windy

Elements of Inspection	Evaluated	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Deleterious Material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Concurrent Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Water Impoundments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Soils	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Revegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Air Quality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Purpose of Inspection:

Checked the quarry site while I was in the area.

Directions to Site:

See previous inspection report.

Inspection Summary:

The site has changed appreciably since my last visit to the site on February 27, 2006. The area where the mining was taking place has expanded. A large stockpile of crusher material is now located on the pit floor.

Western Rock campaign mines the pit so the crusher, that was on the site when I previously visited the site, is now gone. A loader and several trucks were moving the stockpile off the site during my inspection. That was the only equipment operating at the site.

The site appeared stable with no notable environmental concerns.

Pictures were taken of the site and are included in this report.

Conclusions and Recommendations:

Inspector's Signature

Doug Jensen

Date: _____

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cc: Western Rock Products

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EAST PORTION OF PIT